GHANEA-HERCOCK U.S. National Phase of PCT/GB2004/003992

REMARKS

The claims have been amended to eliminate multiple dependent claims, without prejudice. The specification has been amended to include a cross-reference to the parent application and to add an Abstract of the Disclosure.

Respectfully submitted,

NIXON & VANDE

By:

, **Larry S. Nixon** Reg. No. **25,640**

LSN:alb

901 North Glebe Road, 11th Floor Arlington, VA 22203-1808

Telephone: (703) 816-4000 Facsimile: (703) 816-4100